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## IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT DISTRICT OF UTAH

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Plaintiff,

VS.

JEFFREY MICHAEL RYANS,

Defendant.

**INDICTMENT** 

Count I: 18 U.S.C. § 922(a)(6), False Statement During Purchase of a Firearm

Case: 2:21-cr-00388

Assigned To : Stewart, Ted Assign. Date : 9/15/2021

The Grand Jury charges:

## **COUNT I**

18 U.S.C. § 922(a)(6) (False Statement During Purchase of a Firearm)

On or about August 17, 2020 in the District of Utah,

## JEFFREY MICHAEL RYANS,

the defendant herein, in connection with the attempted acquisition of a firearm, to wit: a .40 caliber Iberia JCP semi-automatic pistol from Cash America Pawn of Salt Lake City, a licensed dealer of firearms within the meaning of Chapter 44, Title 18, United States Code; knowingly made a false and fictitious statement to Cash America Pawn of Salt

Lake City, which statement was intended and likely to deceive Cash America Pawn of Salt Lake City, as to a fact material to the lawfulness of such sale of the said firearm to the defendant under chapter 44 of Title 18, in that the defendant represented that he was not subject to a court order restraining himself from harassing, stalking, or threatening an intimate partner, in question 11.h., on ATF Form 4473; all in violation of Title 18, United States Code, Section 922(a)(6).

A TRUE BILL:

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